

ADA, PONTOTOC COUNTY, OKLA.
5,750 population; three railroads,
million dollar Cement Plant, Large
Cotton Compress, Cotton Seed Oil
Mill and Flour Mill industries, Five
Banks, Electric lights and power 24
hours, business streets being paved
and concrete sidewalks throughout
city.

VOLUME 6

THE EVENING NEWS

DEVOTED TO MAKING ADA A LARGER AND MORE PROGRESSIVE CITY

ADA, OKLAHOMA, SATURDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 6, 1909

Thanks—We Sold During October
\$599.58 More Than the Same Month
Last year. We Thank You for Your
Patronage—

ADA HARDWARE CO.

NUMBER 189

Receives Sad News.

A message was received this morning by Mr. Morgan, announcing the critical condition of his father at Tampa, Fla. The message stated that the old gentleman is expected to pass away at any moment. Mr. Morgan left immediately for the bedside of his father.

Ladies



Have you ever used
DIOXIDE CREAM?

For rough and chapped skin it has no equal. It does not contain any grease; you can wear gloves without getting them soiled.

Put up in large jars, only 25c.

We also sell Palmer's perfumes and toilet waters.

Headquarters for
Toilet preparations of all kinds

Ramsey's
Drug Store

We're in Business For Your Health

BRING US YOUR COUNTY WARRANTS

We want to buy
from \$10,000 to
\$20,000 worth of
County Warrants

Merchants and Planters
State Bank
Ada, Oklahoma



SHOOTING PAINS

In which you imagine you see thousands of stars and a number of planets—that's what some toothaches feel like. Don't endure this unnecessary pain. Buy a bottle of

Rexall

TOOTHACHE DROPS

NOW have it handy when you need it. This remedy will stop the most severe toothache instantly, and will bring you permanent relief unless your toothache is caused by a large abscess or ulceration. If these drops don't stop your toothache bring back the empty bottle and we'll return your money. Per bottle, 10c.

Gwin & Mays Co.

HAVE IT

The Ada Druggists The Rexall Store
"We run a drug store and nothing more"

A RACE TO BEAT TARIFF

SIX BIG SHIPS LADEN WITH
CHAMPAGNE WINE, BRANDY
AND LIQUOR.

Arrive On Eve of Expiration of
Agreement with France, Switzer-
land and Bulgaria.

New York, Nov. 3.—As if it were that all Americans suffered from one great thirst, six large ocean liners and several smaller boats came hurrying into the port of New York during the past thirty-six hours laden with champagnes, wines, brandy and liquor. But the thirst that prompted the haste was one for gold—not for liquor. At midnight tonight the duty on champagne jumped from \$6 to \$9.60 a case and on other wines and liquors proportionately, because of the termination of a tariff agreement of the United States with France, Switzerland and Bulgaria.

Importers Rush Orders.
So many large consignments of intoxicating liquors have been rushed to New York that it is probable that never before has such an enormous quantity of drink been on hand here at any one time.

The United States government ordered the customs office at New York to remain open today and until midnight tonight.

La Touraine of the French line came closest of any of the incoming ships to losing the race against time, tide and tariff. She steamed into port late in the evening and her commander, Captain Mourand, was taken off in a tug to the custom house, where he presented affidavits to the effect that he had 17,300 tons of wines and liquors aboard for admission under the lower duty. His papers were O. K'ed, thus saving the importers nearly \$20,000.

All Loaded with Liquor.

The White Star liner Baltic, the American liner St. Paul and the America of the Hamburg-American line reached their docks earlier in the day, laden with thousands of cases of champagne, brandy and liquors.

Prices on champagne, other wines, brandy and other continental liquid importations affected will probably be raised throughout the United States as a result of the new tariff change. The total duties collected on Saturday and today on wines, etc., affected by the new law were \$729,000.

Watch Dog for the Jailor.

A fine watch dog was presented to the jailor this morning by Esq. Brown. It is hard to place an estimate on a good dog, and more especially where he is to serve in the capacity as assistant jailor, and we are sure that in this case it will serve to keep intruders out as well as have a tendency to make the inmates of the jail more content to occupy their present quarters.

BUY A SITE FOR A COURT HOUSE

FOR THE SAKE OF ECONOMY AND
HARMONY THE COUNTY COM-
MISSIONERS SHOULD ACT NOW.

It is very probable that conservative, practical citizens throughout Pontotoc county will petition the county commissioners before the expiration of another year to do what ever is required to construct a county court house.

It is known that real economy and the county's best interests will not be conserved through a policy of delay.

The present court house and jail, for which a good rental is being paid to a Texas party, are entirely inadequate and does not afford sufficient protection to either records, prisoners or to the public.

Would it not be very acceptable should the county board of commissioners take the initial step, preparatory to latterly erecting a suitable court house, without further delay, that it agree on and purchase a court house site.

Ada property is rapidly advancing in price, the better locations for a court house are rapidly passing into hands that would erect thereon business or other structures or else hold at too fancy prices to appear acceptable.

The early selection and purchase of a court house site would be economy and good sense, for it would result in the avoidance of a fight perhaps, when a fight would be a town tragedy.

CATTLE AND SMALL FARMERS.

A Few Head Should Be Raised Each
Year for Market.

Other considerations should influence the farmer to keep all the cattle he can, one of which is that he is thus enabled to take advantage of unfavorable seasons, for the weather is never too wet or too dry to grow forage, and while the grain farmer laments the loss of his wheat or corn, the man who owns the cow or steer just plants some emergency crop safe in the thought that it will furnish feed.

Soft corn has no terrors for the stock farmer, neither have other partial crop failures, for he well knows that by reasonable planning something can be grown that will tide the cattle over.

Another point often overlooked is the relation cattle bear to soil fertility. A close student of animal husbandry declares that by feeding the grain and forage grown from the farm and returning the resulting manure the ground will every year produce larger crops.

Especially is this true if small quantities of phosphorus and potash be added should these elements appear to be deficient.

As it has been demonstrated again and again that 70 to 80 per cent of the full weight of the food is contained in the excrement when fresh, it is seen that this statement is a plausible one.—C. C. Cornman.

\$32.50 A TON

THE ABOVE PRICE IS BEING PAID
FOR COTTON SEED IN ADA TO-
DAY.

THE HIGHEST YET

A Valuable By-Product Brings Many
Dollars Into the Hands of the
Producer.

Some two weeks ago when the price of cotton seed reached the \$30.00 a ton mark everybody thought that the top notch had been reached for the season, and many farmers rejoiced upon being able to get that price for them. Since that time the price has remained firm until yesterday when an upward tendency prevailed, and many people were astonished this morning to know that the magnificent price of \$32.50 is being paid for seed. This makes seed one of the valuable crops, and will bring many a dollar to the farmer that he did not expect to get at the beginning of the season.

GOV. GLENN WOULD EN- FORCE THE LAW.

Would Put Guns In Hands of Worthy
Citizen and Tell Them to Shoot.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 3.—"If I were governor of Tennessee, if I were sheriff of Shelby county or if I were mayor of Memphis, I would see to it that open saloons were not run in Memphis, contrary to the prohibition laws. I would put a gun in the hands of every worthy citizen and tell him to shoot, and shoot to kill and I enforced respect for the law."

This startling declaration was made today by Governor R. B. Glenn of North Carolina at the convention of Sunday School workers of the Christian Workers today. He declared it was folly to say a law cannot be enforced when the sentiment of the community was against it.

OKLAHOMA STATE BANK

Ada, Oklahoma

NO MAN ever accomplished much in finances without the aid of a bank. To obtain a favor from a bank, it must know you. The best way to become acquainted is to do business with it. Start with a small Deposit if you can't make a large one. Make it a point to keep an account all the time. You will find it easy enough once started. This bank is glad to have you with it, and will help you increase your earnings. We offer you every banking facility, and we appreciate the small depositor as well as the larger one.

Start now; don't wait till you need help

OKLAHOMA STATE BANK

ADA, OKLAHOMA

J. W. Hays, President; W. H. Ebey, Vice President; W. D. Hays, Cashier; L. A. Ellison, Asst. Cashier

STONEWALL

AROUSED

HON. ROBT. WIMBISH APPEALED
TO BY GOOD PEOPLE OF STONE-
WALL TO AFFORD THEM QUICK
RELIEF.

The following petition addressed to the county attorney of Pontotoc county, and signed by practically the entire citizenship of Stonewall was published in the Stonewall News of this week:

"A Petition."

To the Hon. Robt. Wimbish, County Attorney of Pontotoc County, Ok-

lahoma:

"Dear Sir:

"In view of the fact that the laws of our state are being violated daily in the town of Stonewall, Oklahoma, and especially the prohibition laws of our state, we, the undersigned citizens of Stonewall and community most earnestly pray you to give us immediate relief by having the laws of our state executed, and especially the prohibition laws."

And we hereby further promise to give you, or any other officer, any and all aid in our power to aid in stamping out those most flagrant violations."

Carney Here.

Rev. Jno. Carney, the fearless temperance lecturer has returned, and spoke to a tremendous crowd on the street this afternoon. He will appear again at the Methodist church Sunday at 11 and 7:30.

WE'RE not afraid to have our store known as a place where high-priced clothes are sold; we make a special feature of Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits, Cravanettes and Overcoats. We know there are lots of men in the world who think \$20.00, \$25.00, \$30.00 and \$35.00 is a good deal to pay for a Suit. In that case—we are prepared to take care of such men with other good lines from \$10. to \$18.50. But we know there are a lot of men who want HART SCHAFFNER & MARX quality and are glad to pay for it. They get it here

We make a specialty of \$3.50 and \$4 Men's Shoes.

No house in Ada can show you such a great line of so many makes in Shoes as we do.

The Walkovers, \$3.50 and \$4.00; W. L. Douglas, \$3.50 and \$4; the Burt & Packard's \$3.50 and \$4

Guaranteed
Patent
SHOES

Warranted not to break—
if they do another pair
instead.



Copyright 1908 by Hart Schaffner & Marx

HATS
J. B. Stetson
Knox
Gimbell

I. HARRIS

Specialist in Good Clothes For Men and Young Men

Shoes 3.50 & \$4
Walkovers
W. L. Douglas
Burt & Packard

This store is the home of Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes.

Farmers State Bank

We want to help all good
farmers buy them a farm, and
for particulars call to see us.

For convenience of the
farmers and working people
we are open from sun-up to
sun-down, and on pay day
are open at nights.

Farmers State Bank

F. O. HARRISS, Cashier

The Ada News

Evening Edition, except Sunday
Weekly Publication, Thursday.

OFFICE: Weaver-Masonic Block,
12th and Broadway.

Otis B. Weaver, Editor and Owner.
J. M. Watkins, Business Manager.

Weekly, the year\$1.00
Daily, the week 10
Daily, the year 4.00

Daily delivered in city by carrier
every evening except Sunday.

The Weekly will be sent to respon-
sible subscribers until ordered dis-
continued and all arrearages are paid.

"Entered as Second Class matter,
March 26, 1904, at the Postoffice at
Ada, Okla., under the Act of Con-
gress of March 3, 1879."

All copy for ad changes must be
in this office by noon on day of pub-
lication.



Estimated one thousand farmer visi-
tors in Ada today. Estimated cash
sales ten thousand dollars.

The construction of ten miles of
concrete side walks in Ada in one
year speaks graphically for the good
of Ada.

The prospects are bright that Ada
will be given a one hundred thousand
dollar postoffice federal building by
another congress.

Durant, after fierce fighting among
her property owners has finally passed
a resolution through its council
that there shall be paved two blocks.

The city of Ada leads all others in
the state in present building improve-
ments, with the exception of Oklaho-
ma City and the possible exception of
Sapulpa.

Hebron Harter, nephew of Adam
Beck, and state sales manager for
the Ada cement mills, came down
from Oklahoma city yesterday, re-
turning home today. Mr. Harter is
one of the more prominent business
citizens of Oklahoma.

A Splendid Gentleman.
Col. D. D. Glenn, the efficient su-
perintendent of construction over the
city school buildings went to his home
in Lawton today. Col. Glenn, though
a modest, retiring gentleman, would
impress any one around him much
that he was capable in whatever un-
dertaking he might become engaged
and the News would waver its repu-
tation as being the leading press of
this section or the prospects that the
Taylor election law will not be up-
held by the supreme court, next week,
both to a ginger cake, that there are
no more conscientiously constructed
buildings in the state than those erect-
ed under the supervision of Col.
Glenn.

Jury to Be Discharged.
The petit jurors, who have serv-
ed faithfully and well in the district
court, some of them during the entire
sitting of court of six weeks dura-
tion, are to be relieved from further
duty on next Monday. The jurors
are of the principal part, composed
of representative agricultural men of
the county, who have, in many in-
stances, made sacrifices of their own
interests in answering the call of the
state to serve in this capacity. They
will return to their homes with a
consciousness of having faithfully dis-
charged their duties.

THE KATY PEOPLE PROFESSIONAL LIARS

It is nothing short of outrageous
that there is not afforded over the
Atoka division of the M., K. &
T. more ample passenger facilities.
This division has on an average
of one thousand (1000) passengers a
day, all being compelled to travel
in only one little short, dirty, meas-
ly, contemptible passenger train each
way. Think of 500 passengers each
way each day and only one short
train, and this has been going on
for five years. From time to time
and year to year, letters and petitions
have gone up soliciting relief. Be-
fore statehood, when railroad presi-
dents were kings and division super-
intendents Dukes and Lords over the
territories, all requests were ignored;
since statehood and incidentally
a corporation commission, polite
replies have been returned and al-
ways assurances, that just a little
later an additional train would be
supplied, but in each and all in-
stances, the public was handed the
lie instead of the train.

Now the News has got the dope
about the amount of the business of
the Atoka division in both passenger
and freight traffic, and it hereby
agrees to wage its business against
the Katy system that an additional
train shall be supplied over the
Atoka division within three months.

NEWSPAPER SOCIAL SUCCESS.

At Rev. and Mrs. Wilson's Popular
Home—Largely Attended—Even-
ing News Complimented.

Mrs. W. M. Wilson opened the
doors of her home last evening to
the young people, and older ones
too, and a goodly number showed
their appreciation of her kindness
by attending.

The announcement by the hostess
that it was to be a Newspaper So-
cial, with request that the guests
decorate their dresses with clipped
ads, caused considerable talk and
guessing among those who expect-
ed to attend. It was indeed a News-
paper Social, the unique idea being
carried out in every feature of the
occasion. The house was bedecked
with the Ada Evening News; they
were used as window curtains, as
portieres, table cover, tray covers,
center pieces, in fact ones eyes were
continually greeted by the Ada News
headlines. They had even been
thoughtful in preparing something
for the ladies in the millinery line,
for a paper cap was presented as the
guests entered the reception hall, then
a comical ad was pinned on the
back of the waist or coat which af-
forded considerable amusement for
the one behind you.

Miss Roberta Watkins presided at
the Chocolate urn. Mrs. Wilson was
assisted by Home Mission ladies in
serving a course of sandwiches,
olives and coffee.

Readings and music added much
pleasure to the evening's enter-
tainment. The entire crowd was
rapturous in their reception of Mrs.
McGuerrin's readings.

Makes Second Attack.

Mr. Jeff Reed, who had trouble
some weeks ago with a negro by the
name of Major Tate, met him com-
ing out of the court house this af-
ternoon and proceeded to give him a
sound thrashing, but only succeeded
in striking one blow, as the negro
upon this occasion, as in the former
difficulty, proceeded to take him-
self away from his antagonist and
proved fleet footed. The trouble seem-
s to have grown out of differences in
regard to some cotton—the negro be-
ing a tenant on Reed's farm near
town.

PROMINENT OKLAHOMAN PASSES OVER RIVER

HON. FRANK BONNER, SPLENDID
YOUNG CITIZEN OF ARDMORE,
DIES OF TYPHOID FEVER.

Brother-in-Law to Hon. W. H. L.
Campbell of Ada; a Pleasant Social
Visitor at News Office Only Month
Since.

One of the saddest deaths in the
history of the city occurred last
night at 11:30, when all that was
mortal of Frank A. Bonner took its
flight. For a period of four weeks
he had been a sufferer of typhoid
fever and despite every effort made
to save him, the disease triumphed
and a broken-hearted family and hun-
dreds of breaved friends are left to
mourn.

Mr. Bonner had reached that age
where useful life begins, at the age
of 31 years when young manhood
is strong and the hopes of the fu-
ture burn most brightly he is called
away. By his bedside were his
wife, Mrs. Clellia Stewart Bonner,
his mother, Mrs. L. Y. Bonner, and
his brother, assistant clerk of the
supreme court, M. M. Bonner.

Mr. Bonner was formerly in the
drug business in this city and was
a successful business man. His
health was not very good and the
confinement of the business house
was given up and the out door work
of dealing in real estate was taken
up. He owns several farms in the
Chickasaw nation, besides his own
allotment as a citizen. He was a
member of the local lodge of Elks
and also of the Modern Woodmen.
In politics he was always active and
enjoyed a wide acquaintance. He was
a useful member of the state demo-
cratic executive committee, to which
place he was elected by the demo-
cratic voters of this county. As a
friend he was loyal, in business he
was honest and in politics he was
clean. He never feared to condemn
the wrong wherever he found it.

150 Automobiles for Sale at Bargain Prices.

We have just received from our
Eastern buyers 5 carloads of slight-
ly used automobiles. Remember, we
overhaul and paint cars to suit you.
We have all makes touring cars and
runabouts from \$150 up. Now is the
time to buy. You can save money.
Here are a few prices which will give
you some idea of our bargains.

White Steamer, 20 h. p., 5 passen-
ger, cost \$2250.00, our price \$550.00.

Apperson, with Limousine body, 50
h. p., cost \$6700.00, our price \$1800.00.

Buick, 30 h. p., 1908 Model, cost
\$1850.00, our price \$950.00.

Cadillac, Model M., 5 passenger,
cost \$1000.00, our price \$450.

Northern Touring Car, 5 passen-
ger, cost \$1800.00, our price \$475.00.

Winton, Model K, 5 passenger, 30
h. p., cost \$2750.00, our price \$650.00.

Buick Model F, 5 passenger, 22 h.
p., cost \$1350.00, our price \$575.00.

Elmore, 5 passenger, 20 h. p.,
cost \$1750.00, our price \$350.00.

White Steamer, 30 h. p., 7 passen-
ger, cost \$3000.00, our price \$850.00.

Ford Runabout, 4 cylinder, 15 h. p.,
cost \$750.00, our price \$375.00.

Buick Roadster, 1908 Model, 4 cy-
linder, 30 h. p., cost \$1750.00, our
price \$875.00.

New Hatfield Buggy Automobile, 2
cylinder, cost \$675.00, our price
\$325.00.

Second hand Limousine and Land-
aulet bodies always on hand at bar-
gain prices.

TIMES SQUARE AUTOMOBILE CO.
Largest Dealers in the World in New
and Used Automobiles. N. W. Cor.
18th and Pine Sts., St. Louis, Mo.,
two blocks from Union Station.

Send for our Monthly Bulletin. Mailed
free.

Branch Stores:
New York, 215 W 48th St.
Chicago, Ill., 1332 Michigan Ave.
Kansas City, Mo., 1701 Main St.

O. C. Agent.

Eugene Lathrop, of Sapulpa, has
arrived in Ada and will have charge
of the O. C. station at this place. He
is welcomed.

WANTS

Advertising under this head will be
charged at following rates:

One insertion, per word.....1c
Additional insertion, per word....1-2c

MISCELLANEOUS.

TO TRADE—I have a \$25.00 suit of
clothes on hand that I will trade for
a shot gun. Apply at J. W. Sweet's
tailor shop.

AMONG THE CHURCHES.

At First M. E. Church.
Services at the First M. E. church
South, will be held tomorrow as fol-
lows:

Sunday school at 9:45.

Junior League at 2:30 and inter-
mediate League at 4:30.

First Baptist Church.

There will be the regular ser-
vice at 11 a. m. but none in the
evening on account of the temper-
ance lecture at the Methodist
church. You are invited.

C. STUBBLEFIELD, Pastor.

First Christian Church.

Services at 11:00 a. m., subject:
"The Overflow of Christianity." Even-
ing services at 7:30, subject: "Siz-
ing up the other fellow." Everybody
is welcome.

C. E. SMOOTZ, Pastor.

Presbyterian Church.

The subject at the morning hour
will be, "The Christian Luminary,"
and at 7:30 p. m. it will be, "Ex-
periences Beyond Death or Life in
the Future World."

J. D. WHITE, Pastor.

**First Presbyterian Church on Broad-
way.**

Services morning and evening. Sun-
day School 9:45. All visitors and
strangers are invited to worship with
us, and their presence appreciated.
"I was glad when they said 'Let us
Go Up into the House of the Lord.'"

J. O. NEEDHAM, Pastor.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Harris.

J. C. Davis, St. Louis; Wilson El-
liott, St. Louis; J. E. Bowman, St.
Louis; H. B. Smith, Ardmore; Cora
Barham, San Angelo, Tex.; E. C.
Lake, Kansas City; C. M. McDaniel,
Columbus; Olen Mark, Chicago;
Edward Hasse, Chicago; Chas. Ken-
nedy, Oklahoma City; H. C. Ben-
nett, Ada; M. H. Shackelford, Ada;
J. H. Spann, Roff; W. W. Paxon, Eal-
win; Audrey Blankenship, Lynch-
berry; L. A. Mastin, Chicago; W. G.
Marrow, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. J. L.
Clark, Joliet; J. W. Freeman, Shaw-
nee; Mrs. V. Smith, Oklahoma City;
J. W. Shipp, Oklahoma City; Jno.
Meiter, Madill; B. G. Patton, Shaw-
nee; Mrs. H. A. Rhea, Walnut Ridge,
Ark.; J. J. Bartel, Milwaukee, J. M.
Ross, New York; S. Smith, Rockfort,
Ill.; John Marion, St. Louis; Harry
Gidalsky, St. Louis; Ben Geoff, Chic-
ago; A. W. Pollock, St. Louis.

Chapman.

W. B. Whitely, Ft. Worth; J. D.
Rinard, Guthrie; Fred King, Tecum-
seh; H. M. Ralide, Dallas, Jno. Leon-
ard, Lawton; M. O. Edward, City;
D. J. Rhea, Wynnewood; L. R. Hallin,
Paris; Joseph McDoodle, New York.

Byrd.

J. N. Mayes, Denison; Macy, Sher-
man; L. Impson, Tupelo; T. Williams,
Oklahoma City; Geo. Hall, Oklahoma
City; B. Heathman, Roff; E. H. Pike,
Dallas; G. D. Zimmerman, Greenland,
Ark.; J. W. Bruner, Fayetteville; J.
Connally, Atoka; J. Likwood, Purcell;
D. Healey, Purcell.

**Notice of Hearing Petition for Ap-
pointment of Administrator.**

State of Oklahoma, Pontotoc County.

In County Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of
Davis Wright, Deceased.

To the heirs, next of kin, and Credi-
tors of Davis Wright, Deceased.

You are hereby notified that Louisa
Johnson has applied to the County
Court of Pontotoc County, State of
Oklahoma, for Letters of Administra-
tion on the estate of Davis Wright,
deceased, to be granted to J. C.
Chapman and that said application
will be heard in the Court room of
said Court in the City of Ada, in said
County, on the 17th day of Novem-
ber, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m. at which
time and place any person interested
may appear and show cause, if they
they have why such petition should
not be granted.

Witness my hand and the Seal of
said Court hereunto affixed this 6th
day of November, 1909.

JOEL TERRELL,
County Judge.

(First published Nov. 6th —10t-d.)

Forced Into Exile.

Wm. Upchurch, of Glen Oak, Okla.,
was an exile from home. Mountain
air, he thought, would cure a fright-
ful lung racking cough that had de-
fied all remedies for two years. After
six months he returned, death dog-
ging his steps. "Then I began to use
Dr. King's New Discovery," he
writes, "and after taking six bot-
tles I am as well as ever." It saves
thousands yearly from desperate lung
diseases. Infalible for Coughs and
colds, it dispels hoarseness and sore
throat. Cures grip, bronchitis, hem-
orrhages, asthma, croup, whooping
cough. 50c and \$1 trial bottle free,
guaranteed by G. M. Ramsey.

THE GOOD ROADS QUESTION.

A Timely Talk from One Who Has
Studied the Situation.

A paper of country-wide circula-
tion, somewhat given to sarcasm and
to putting forth an idea under a
thinly veiled brand of the article,
recently said that the time was when
farmers near towns were opposed to
the building of good roads, because,
forsooth, they would place the farm-
ers living further away on a more
equal footing with them in enabling
them to get to the market more eco-
nomically and as a result making
them better off and more nearly com-
petitors of those farmers who had
their farms nearer the towns. This
statement was made in an argument
and as an illustration of the selfish-
ness of the protectionist in the tariff
debate, who would make the man far-
therest away, the man who naturally
had the hardest and longest way,
pay for the benefits received by
those who were more luckily fixed,
but the statement in itself is enough
to attract the attention and to lead
one to wonder whether if, after all,
there is not more in it than appears;
if the long tenure of bad roads in
this country has not been due in a
measure to this feeling on the part of
the lucky farmer. It is a subject
worth pondering over and one which
the farmer living at a distance from
his market should study. There is no
gainsaying that good roads are an
essential to economical farming be-
cause every obstacle to distribution
that is removed brings the source
of production and the market nearer
together. There should be nothing
of the spirit of the protectionist to
enter this good roads business. Good
roads are needed for the benefit of
all, not bad roads for the protection
of a few.—Beaumont Enterprise.

Load of Cotton Brings \$131.25.

Two or three weeks ago Porter E.
Ware brought a load of cotton to
town that netted him \$114.61. That
was conceded to be a very large load
—probably the largest ever brought
here. Yesterday his cousin, Perry
Ware, who farms on O. M. Ware's
place, went him "one better" and
brought a load of 2625 lbs. which
netted \$131.25. Porter promised to
come again if anybody beat his re-
cord, so we await results.—Davis
News.

Ada Asphalt Paving.

Mr. John D. Kennard, of Lawton,
expert engineer, on Rock Asphalt
construction is in Ada assisting city
engineer Eckman in drawing the
specifications which shall govern the
Ada asphalt construction, which will
soon be in progress on Main street,
Broadway and Townsend avenues.

Mr. Kennard was the engineer on
the large Lawton Rock Asphalt pay-
ing job, the material for which was
shipped from Ada.

A WOMAN'S APPEAL

To all knowing sufferers of rheumatism, whet-
ter muscular or of the joints, sciatica, lumbago,
backache, pains in the kidneys or neuralgia
pains, to write to her for a home treatment
which has repeatedly cured all of these troubles.
She feels it her duty to send it to all sufferers
FREE. You cure yourself at home as thousands
will testify—no change of climate being neces-
sary. This simple discovery banishes uric acid
from the blood, loosens the stiffened joints, pur-
ifies the blood, and restores the eyes, giving
elasticity and tone to the whole system. If the
above interests you, for proof address
Mrs. M. Summers, Box R, South Bend, Ind.

Load of Cotton Brings \$131.25.

Two or three weeks ago Porter E.
Ware brought a load of cotton to
town that netted him \$114.61. That
was conceded to be a very large load
—probably the largest ever brought
here. Yesterday his cousin, Perry
Ware, who farms on O. M. Ware's
place, went him "one better" and
brought a load of 2625 lbs. which
netted \$131.25. Porter promised to
come again if anybody beat his re-
cord, so we await results.—Davis
News.

Ada Asphalt Paving.

Mr. John D. Kennard, of Lawton,
expert engineer, on Rock Asphalt
construction is in Ada assisting city
engineer Eckman in drawing the
specifications which shall govern the
Ada asphalt construction, which will
soon be in progress on Main street,
Broadway and Townsend avenues.

A WOMAN'S APPEAL

To all knowing sufferers of rheumatism, whet-
ter muscular or of the joints, sciatica, lumbago,
backache, pains in the kidneys or neuralgia
pains, to write to her for a home treatment
which has repeatedly cured all of these troubles.
She feels it her duty to send it to all sufferers
FREE. You cure yourself at home as thousands
will testify—no change of climate being neces-
sary. This simple discovery banishes uric acid
from the blood, loosens the stiffened joints, pur-
ifies the blood, and restores the eyes, giving
elasticity and tone to the whole system. If the
above interests you, for proof address
Mrs. M. Summers, Box R, South Bend, Ind.

M. LEVIN

Main Street Phone 214

New and Secondhand
Furniture : Stoves : Tents

I SELL MORE FURNITURE
than all the rest of the stores
in Ada. The reason for it is
because the price and quality
is right.

I sell goods on **EASY PAY-
MENTS**, also buy and trade
second hand goods for new.

M. LEVIN

The Best Dressers

Know just what is needed to top out a stylish
outfit and that is nobby, up to date footwear.
We invite all to :

VISIT OUR STORE

And select from our large line of fall and winter
footwear just the shoes that will make your cos-
tume look complete. We carry a full line of all
shapes and leathers and our prices are in keep-
ing with the high grade of goods :

Chapman The Shoe Man

East Main St. Ada, Okla

Use an Electric Iron

No Fire
Fuss
Lifting
Walking

Turn the light button and iron—that's all.
No red-hot stove on a red-hot day.
Keeps the even temperature and your own temper.
Try one two weeks. If it doesn't suit you, return it.

Ada Electric and Gas Company,
South Broadway Phone No. 78

1st Make Something

2d Save Something

Start in the morning of life, sacrifice some pleasure,
until you can accumulate some of the necessities
of life. Put your money in a Bank that is always will-
ing and amply able to grant its customers a conserva-
tive loan in case your ready cash is insufficient for
you to take advantage of opportunities that present
themselves. Follow the above, give us your business.
We guarantee the results.

First National Bank

Ada, Oklahoma

P. A. NORRIS, President H. T. DOUGLAS, V. P.
M. D. TIMBERLAKE, Cashier

CLOTHES OF ELEGANCE



and refinement cost no more than the ordinary kind--it's simply in the judgement of selecting.

Hitherto such designs and craftsmanship in clothes were only for the elect, but owing to the splendid executive skill in the assembling and handling of such a large aggregate of Master Tailors as are associated in the Schloss Baltimore organization, these splendid samples of the highest type of the tailoring art are within the reach of all.

That's why we have selected these Celebrated Master Tailors
SCHLOSS BROS. & CO.
of Baltimore and New York
To make our clothes.

We are exclusive agents for these Splendid Ready to Wear garments.

\$15 and up will give you Style Service and Quality and above all that indefinable feeling of being becomingly and properly dressed as a Gentleman should

Furnishings—in endless variety every New Shade and Combination—**Shirts**—that are artistic blendings of the new shades and novelty effects.

Neckwear—in new weaves and art shades—

Hosiery—some so delicate they are called dreams—others loud enough to be nightmares.

Underwear—in natural and color, effects all weights and sizes—

Drummond & Lattimore "Outfitters for Men & Young Men"
North Side Main St Ada, Okla

PERSONAL COLUMN

For the best McAlester coal see John Rinard. Place your orders early. Will be unloading car every few days. Place your order and get cheap rate while unloading.

In the morning you ought to get up early, forget you are tired and go to the First Presbyterian Church.
J. O. NEEDHAM, Pastor.

Smith Sells Furniture.

Rev. Shipman went to Tyrola yesterday.

Dr. Creasy over Ada Nat'l. Bank.

Dr. Brents returned last night to Byars.

Jno. Crawford went to Holdenville today.

Roy Donaghey went to Allen on business.

Lucy Taylor is still confined to her bed.

N. B. Stall went to Roff today on business.

Miss Arlene Harbert went to Roff to spend Sunday.

Fresh grapes, pears and lettuce at M. Walsh's.

Mrs. Shanafelt went to Atoka to spend Sunday.

Miss Pearl Crawford came in over the Katy enroute to Sulphur. Miss Ella Nixon accompanied her from here.

A QUICK DELIVERY

For Baggage and Transfer Phone No. 57 or see

J. W. MURPHY.

He does the work and doesn't handle whiskey.

Those Who Seek Bargains



in clothes are not always satisfied. Why? They are looking in the wrong place.

If they have their clothes made to order by

Ed. V. Price & Co.

America's Foremost

Custom Tailors

they can secure for \$25 to \$40 the identical values of the \$50 and \$60 tailor.

We'll show you the beautiful Price woollens, take your measure, and guarantee satisfaction.

Come in today.

GUEST BROS.

THE MEN WITH THE TAPE
Ada, Oklahoma

J. B. Wall, John McKinley and Edgar leave tonight for Kansas City.

H. F. Colfee of Sherman, Texas, is visiting in the city for a few days.

Miss Alvis came in from Holdenville today the guest of Mrs. Hodges.

Mrs. Edgar Smith went to Ardmore today for a few days visit to friends.

Geo. A. Fooshee of Coalgate came in over the Frisco enroute to his home.

Mr. Rhea, the cotton seed man, went to Wynnewood today on business.

Date Crawford came in from Stonewall enroute to Weleetka on business.

Prof. Fentem went down to Stonewall today to look after some business matters.

Mrs. D. G. Winn went to Sasakwa today to instruct the Rebecca Lodge of that place.

Mrs. Lewis Woodward and children went to Konawa last night for a few days visit.

Persian and Plaid Ribbons, the 50c grade reduced to 30c, at Model Millinery Parlor.

Miss Ida Kearsey, Pontotoc teacher, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Rinard over Sunday.

Marshall Shackelford, formerly with the Sharpe-Meyer Construction Co., is in the city from Mexico.

New millinery just received. Fur Turbans, Beaver hats, Trimmings, etc. Westcott's.

Mrs. Sparger came in over the O. C. enroute to Konawa for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Foster Simpson.

Boss Middleton returned last night from Allen where he has been in the interest of the Ada Electric & Gas Co.

Ladies. All plumes, feathers and wings going at greatly reduced prices at the Model Millinery Parlor.

Mr. P. C. James of Fairbury, Ill., who owns a fine farm in the valley south of Ada, returned to his northern home today.

Hon. J. Q. Adams, a prominent attorney of Sulphur, spent last night and this morning in the city looking after some legal business.

Mr. M. E. Thomas of the fraternity of the press, representing the Omaha Bee and 20th Century Farm, mingled with Pontotoc farmers today.

W. B. Whitley has a nice assortment of Baldwin pianos at cottage back of the Chapman Hotel, 12th street, which will sell at reasonable prices. Call and see them if you desire to buy or not.

Contractor Wilworth is making rapid headway on a neat five-room cottage for Mrs. Rich on Stockton avenue between 12th and 13th streets.

Mr. E. B. Austin, the genial manager of the Waples-Platter Gro. Co., went to Denison, Texas this morning to spend Sunday with his family.

J. A. Biles, after a severe attack of tonsillitis, is convalescent today and thinks he will be able to wait on customers at the Surprise store Monday.

Mrs. E. L. Steed received a message yesterday from Hot Springs that her father was very ill, but on account of the illness of Mr. Steed she could not go at once.

J. T. Looper of Fitzhugh, has sold his property on East 16th street to Mrs. Annie B. Marsteller of Jefferson City, Mo. Mrs. Marsteller will make additional improvements on this property in the near future.

The fire department was called out late yesterday afternoon, but the fire located at Thornton's gin, was extinguished before the water boys got there. No damage occurred, either to the plant or the cotton stored.

Material is being assembled for the construction of a culvert on 12th street between Stockton and Cherry avenues. The contract for building this culvert was let at the meeting of the City Council Monday night to the Ada Construction Co.

Clear the Streets.

City Attorney James Webb remarked this morning that it was too bad that Main street was allowed to be blocked with wagons during business hours and that it was the duty of the police to protect the busy public by keeping the streets cleared so that business traffic would not be inconvenienced.

FOOT BALL GAME TODAY

SACRED HEART AND EAST CENTRAL NORMAL PLAYED THIS AFTERNOON.

Results Not Known at Time of Going to Press—A Victory Predicted for Home Boys.

As announced in the News of yesterday, the Sacred Heart Academy team came over this morning and are at time of going to press engaged in a game of football with the East Central Normal boys. The score could not be had in time for publication today, but it is confidently believed that the visiting team will be defeated by a large score. The following is the lineup:

Sacred Heart.
Center—McKigeregon.
Left Guard—Francis.
Right Guard—Rivers.
Left Tackle—Robinson.
Right Tackle—Hamoty.
Left End—Bevill.
Right End—Mitchell.
Left Half Back—Holshof.
Right Half Back—McCorron.
Full Back—Albert.
Quarter Back—Givng.
East Central.
Center—Dismuke.
Left Guard—Hughes.
Right Guard—Hardin.
Left Tackle—Lee.
Right Tackle—Matthews.
Left End—Wright.
Right End—Collins.
Left Half Back—Kyle.
Right Half—Jones.
Full Back—Reynolds.
Quarter Back—Givng.

BIG TEMPERANCE DAY.
Rev. Jno. Carney of Texas, Will Occupy Methodist Pulpit at 11 and 7:30.

Rev. Jno. Carney, one of the greatest temperance orators of the south will lecture at the Methodist church Sunday at 11 and 7:30. It is desired that a good audience be given him at each service. He has his large charts and vivid illustrations will be given during his lecture. There will be no service at the Baptist church in the evening on this account.

J. W. Jones Seriously Ill.
Mrs. E. L. Steed's father, J. W. Jones, who has been at Hot Springs several weeks for his health, has had a relapse and Mrs. Steed received a message Friday to come at once, but owing to the illness of Mr. Steed, she could not leave home and her brother John Jones, has gone to the bedside of his father. Mr. Steed's condition is somewhat improved and if Mr. Jones is not able to be brought here, Mrs. Steed will probably go to him.

Language.
A limited number of pupils will be taken in French or Spanish by Mrs. Harris. Apply at the residence of Mrs. Kees, East 13th street.



The Grand Leader

Merchants and Planters State Bank

Ada, Oklahoma

A new bank growing to be a big bank.
A good bank to do your banking with.
A bank owned and controlled by home people.

The stockholders of this bank all live in Pontotoc county; and own and control over twenty-six thousand and acres of Pontotoc county land

Your Deposits Are Guaranteed by Depositors' Guaranty Fund
WE SOLICIT YOUR ACCOUNT

OFFICERS

C. H. RIVES, President M. B. DONAGHEY, First V. Pres.
B. H. MASON, Cashier J. W. DAVIS, Second V. Pres.

EARLY PAVING.

Specifications Will Soon Be Ready, and by December 1, Contract Will Probably Be Let.

It is thought that city engineer Eckman will have ready his paving specifications for Main and other streets in readiness for the council's consideration next Monday night.

Immediately afterward there will be a ten days advertising for bids, when the contract will be let.

Marriage License.

Bill Gentry, 24, and Grace Johnston, 18, Stratford.
D. F. Henley, 24, and Luna Heatli, 18, Roff.

The Local Markets.

The following prices prevail in Ada today on cotton, corn and farm products. (These prices will be changed daily and can be relied upon.)

Cotton	13.25@13.75
Cotton seed, per ton	32.50
Corn	.50
Hay, per ton	12.50@13.00
Eggs, per doz	.25
Butter, per lb	.25@.30
Hides, green	.06@.08
Hides, dry	.12@.14
Chops, per sack	1.15
Bran, per sack	1.25
Turkeys, per lb	.10
Geese, per lb	.07@.08
Hogs	.06@.07
Veal	2.25@2.75
Beef	.04@.54
Wheat, per bu	1.00@1.10
Flour	2.80
Oats, per bu	.60@.65
Rye, per bu	1.30@1.35
Barley, per bu	1.25@1.30
Sweet potatoes, per bu	1.00
Irish potatoes, per bu	.90@1.00
Sp. Chicken, per doz	3.00@3.75
Hens, per doz	3.00@4.00

A Bargain.

Dining table with six chairs; kitchen cabinet and table; fruit jars 2 doz.; ironing board, smoothing irons 3; window shades, seven, with curtain poles; 50 yards matting; one mirror with shelf and brackets; 2 wash tubs with rubbing board; 1 bowl and pitcher one slop jar; 1 couch and mattress; 1 iron bed, mattress and springs; wash stand, one table; 1 heating stove; 1 refrigerator. All new, will sell for half. Mrs. J. R. Thompson, corner 13th and Broadway. 2t

Real Estate Bargains.

\$1,160—Good 6 room house, 200 feet front, good well, storm house, barn, poultry yard, 70 feet side walk. 15th street. Terms.
\$350—Pair corner lots in Normal Addition. Choice location. News office.

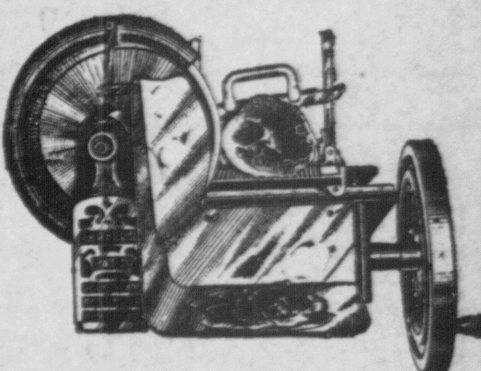
Chas. E. Daggs

Well casing, gal. flues, flue linings, gal. tanks etc.
Bath tubs, lavatories, kitchen sinks, in fact

Everything in Plumbing and Tinning Line

Shop 1st Door N. Ada Nat'l Bank on Broadway

GO TO THE City Meat Market



For all kinds of **Fresh and Cured Meats.**

Live and dressed poultry, fish and oysters, pickles, kraut, etc. Anyone desiring a nice mess of breakfast meat should call on us as we are equipped with the necessary machinery for your satisfaction. Soliciting your patronage, we are,

Yours for business,
Cummings & Eaton.

Pastime Picture Parlor TO-NIGHT

Pet of the Big Horn Ranch.
A new Selig Picture portraying Western Ranch life. Scenes taken on greatest Ranch in the West. Big Tom, the brave, big hearted cowboy. The cowboy riders. Outlaws. Stirring scenes, rapid action.

Love and War.
A pathetic drama. A good subject well handled by high class actors.

A Knight for a Night.
A great comedy full of funny fun.

True Love Never Runs Smooth.
A rich comedy with some screaming climaxes.

Two Bright New Sons.
"A Sweeter Story Yet." "All Because It's You." Splendid Illustrations Sweet Stories.

The Man That Has a Leaning towards a fine imported Havana cigar at a cabbage leaf price can find his taste and purse both satisfied in a **Hernheim 5c Cigar.** This cigar comes to us direct from the factory, which insures their freshness and perfect condition, and eliminates the jobbers profit which is given you in **Quality.** Get on speaking terms with this cigar you won't regret it.

Mad-ox Drug Co.



Where Quality is Higher than the price.

ELECTION PROCLAMATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

WHEREAS, The Board of Education of the City of Ada, Oklahoma, a city of the first class, at a meeting held at Ada on the 4th day of October, 1909, did adopt and cause to be certified to me a certain resolution, in words and figures as follows, to-wit:

RESOLUTION

OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF ADA, OKLAHOMA.

WHEREAS, It has become necessary for the Board of Education of the City of Ada, State of Oklahoma, a city of the first class, in order to raise sufficient funds to complete the erection of and to equip three suitable school buildings in and for said school district, to-wit: One in the 4th ward of said city to be known as the South Side school building; one in the 3rd ward of said city to be known as the North Side school building; and one in the 2nd ward of said city to be known as the East Side school building, to borrow \$15,000 and issue bonds therefor.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, BY SAID BOARD OF EDUCATION, That the Mayor of said city be and he is hereby requested to call an election to be conducted in all respects as are special elections for city officers in said city, except that the returns shall be made to the Board of Education, for the purpose of taking the issue of said district upon the question of issuing bonds of said Board of Education in the amount of \$15,000, running twenty years from their date, bearing interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of raising sufficient funds to complete the erection of and to equip three suitable school buildings in and for said district, as aforesaid.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board on the 6th day of September, 1909, requesting said Mayor to call an election on the question of issuing bonds of said Board of Education for the purpose of raising sufficient funds to complete the erection of and to equip three suitable school buildings in and for said district, as aforesaid, be and the same is hereby repealed.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, L. J. Little, Mayor of the City of Ada aforesaid, by me vested by the laws of the State of Oklahoma, and by virtue of the resolution as aforesaid, do hereby certify and proclaim and declare that on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1909, an election will be held within said city and district for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of said district the question of issuing bonds of said Board of Education, in the amount of \$15,000, bearing interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of raising sufficient funds to complete the erection of and to equip three suitable school buildings in and for said district.

The polling places in and for the respective wards and voting precincts for the purpose of said election are and will be as follows, to-wit:

First Ward, Precinct East Ada, at Mayor's office.

Second Ward, Precinct East Ada, at Chas. Dagg's Tin Shop.

Third Ward, Precinct West Ada, County Court Room in Court House.

Fourth Ward, Precinct West Ada, at Bralley and Ebey's Real Estate Office.

Attached Territory in School District No. 19, Front School Building, Donaghey's Addition to City of Ada.

The following named qualified electors of the wards and voting precincts, respectively, of such election, to-wit:

First Ward, Precinct East Ada: Judges, J. G. Higgin and J. G. Conn; Clerks, John Beard and W. C. Rayburn.

Second Ward, Precinct East Ada: Judges, J. W. Davis and C. S. Aldrich; Clerks, Chas. T. Barnow and Henry Young.

Third Ward, Precinct West Ada: Judges, A. J. Deaton and John Stewart; Clerks, J. Chapman and J. C. Jordan.

Fourth Ward, Precinct West Ada: Judges, Geo. Thompson and W. M. Edmiston; Clerks, J. M. McCarty and G. P. Carney.

Attached Territory in School District Ada, District No. 19: Judges, Carlton Weaver and R. E. Blank; Clerks, A. B. Myers and U. G. Winn.

The polls of said election will be opened at six o'clock A. M. on the day of election, and will be closed at seven o'clock P. M. on said day, and said election will be conducted in all respects as are special elections for city officers in said city, except that the returns will be made to said Board of Education.

The question to be voted upon and the form of ballot to be used at said election are and will be as follows, to-wit:

Shall the Board of Education of the City of Ada, State of Oklahoma, a city of the first class, issue bonds in the sum of \$15,000, running twenty years from their date, bearing interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of raising sufficient funds to complete the erection of and to equip three suitable school buildings in and for said district?

☐ YES

☐ NO

The voter will indicate his vote for the bonds by a cross (X) in the square opposite the word "Yes" or against the word "No" in the square opposite the word "No."

In witness whereof I have hereunto set to be hereto affixed the seal of said city, November, 1909.

L. J. LITTLE,
Mayor of the City of Ada.

Attest: W. B. JONES, City Clerk.

CAN'T BE SEPARATED.

Some Ada People Have Learned How to Get Rid of Both.

Backache and kidney ache are twin brothers.

You can't separate them.

And you can't get rid of the backache until you cure the kidney ache.

If the kidneys are well and strong, the rest of the system is pretty sure to be in vigorous health.

Doan's Kidney Pills make strong, healthy kidneys.

Adolph Ridet, E. Sixteenth St., Ada, Okla., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills are the only remedy that ever gave me relief from kidney trouble. I suffered from this disease for couple of years and Doan's Kidney Pills rid me of every symptom. Since using them I have been free from the dull ache through my loins and the sharp, shooting pains across my kidneys that had frequently caused me so much misery. I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at G. M. Ramsey's Drug Store and am always glad to give them my recommendation."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

Walding, Kinnan & Barvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Improved Sleeping Car Service

VIA
FRISCO

TO
St. Louis and Kansas City.

Trains 508, Saint Louis Limited, leaves Ada 10:59 a. m. and arrives Saint Louis 7:39 the following morning.

Train No. 514, Kansas City Meteor leaves Ada 5:56 p. m. and arrives Kansas City the following morning at 7:55 a. m.

Equipped with the latest improved Pullman Observation Sleeping Cars, Free Reclining Chair Cars, up-to-date high back seat coaches.

For reservation of space, phone or call on the Frisco Agent.

I. McNAIR, Ada, Oklahoma.

"Just a night's ride."

Electric Bitters

Succeed when everything else fails. In nervous prostration and female weaknesses they are the supreme remedy, as thousands have testified.

FOR KIDNEY, LIVER AND STOMACH TROUBLE

it is the best medicine ever sold over a druggist's counter.

G. M. RAMSEY.

How My Head Was Saved

By WALLACE PUTNAM REED

Yes, sir, I am only 38 years old. It is hard to believe, I know—my white hair and furrowed brow appear to tell a different story. But it is the simple truth, and I can explain the seeming mystery in a few words.

About eight years ago I was a young physician, just starting in the practice. My office was in B—, a small village in the southwestern part of this state. I usually slept in my office, it being both convenient and economical to do so.

One night in January, I think, I was sitting before my fire, pondering over my future prospects. The hour was very late, and the weather was so cold that I did not expect any call or visit.

Suddenly I felt that some one had entered the room. I had heard no noise, but an indefinite something warned me that a visitor was present.

With a quick wheel of my chair, I faced the door. Within five feet of me stood my visitor. He was a tall, well-proportioned, and strikingly handsome man. I had barely time to remark this, and to note the fact that he was well dressed, when the stranger spoke.

"A physician, I believe?"

He said this hesitatingly, and with an air of respectful deference.

"That is my profession," I replied.

"Will you take a chair, sir?"

The stranger took the proffered seat, and proceeded to engage me in a general conversation.

Half an hour passed, and still the object of the visit had not been stated. At last I hinted at it in pretty plain terms.

"Oh, yes," said the stranger. "I came near forgetting my purpose in calling. The fact is, I have made a discovery which is destined to work a revolution in surgical science."

I yawned at this. What does a man care for surgical science at midnight, when his fire is going out?

"I will tell you about it," continued my visitor. "I have discovered a simple process by which a man's head may be cut off and then replaced, without injury to the person operated upon. What do you think of that?"

I gave the man a keen glance. He met my gaze without flinching.

"I decline to think about it at all," I replied; "at least, not to-night. You may drop in to-morrow."

The stranger leaped from his chair and stood before me. I noticed then that he was very much my superior in physical strength.

What could I do?

My office was on the first floor of an isolated building. No one slept on my floor except Bob Henry, and he was out, probably for the night. If the man murdered me, nobody would hear my cries for help. The situation began to grow interesting.

"What do you mean?" I asked in as calm a tone as I could assume.

"I mean this," was the reply. "I mean to try my experiment on you to-night. I will pledge my honor to sever your head from your body and replace it within 20 minutes, without causing the slightest injury."

The man was a maniac. Of this I was certain. But how was I to manage him?

I was just about to spring from my seat, when the madman drew a large and glittering knife, and flourished it before my eyes.

"Steady, now!" said he. "Keep quiet, old boy, and don't move, or I'll have to hack your face more than is necessary."

This significant warning capped the climax. I felt all my strength leaving me, and as I gazed into the burning eyes looking so earnestly into mine, I felt that no earthly power could save me.

He placed one hand upon my head, and I thought my last hour had arrived.

Just then the use of my faculties returned to me. My first desire was to gain time.

"One moment!" I cried. "Tell me if you could perform this operation on two persons, and exchange their heads?"

"Hello!" shouted the madman. "That's a brilliant idea. Wouldn't it be rich? A with B's head, and B with A's head!"

The fellow seemed tickled with my suggestion, and talked about it at least ten minutes. But he resumed the murderous knife again, and prepared to carry out his purpose.

Suddenly my eyes flashed delight, and I struggled in my chair. I heard the familiar footsteps of Bob Henry ascending the stairs.

Rescued at last!

"What's the matter?" queried the maniac.

The steps were heard rapidly approaching my door.

"Spies!" shouted my visitor, throwing down his knife. "I must not be seen here. Au revoir."

There was a deafening crash of glass and wood, and Bob Henry entered the room just in time to see the madman disappearing through the shattered window.

What happened after that I do not recollect. But when I came to myself I was lying in bed, looking into Bob's honest face and listening to his part of the story. I had been lying there three weeks, he told me, but I was all right again. The maniac was killed by his wild leap. Who he was we never ascertained.

My restoration to health came at last, but my hair was as white as snow.

And now, sir, you know as much about it as I do.

THE Ada National Bank

wishes to call your attention to two

FACTS

It has been under ONE continuous MANAGEMENT since the organization. Now in its NINTH year. The BANK that has helped to build ADA and assisted more FARMERS than any institution in—

Pontotoc County

COMMERCIAL CAFE

AMERICAN PLAN

What you want. The way you want and When you want.

FINE DINNERS SHORT ORDERS OYSTERS

Choice Fruits on Ice.

The Best Cigars & Tobacco

F. C. HOLMAN, Proprietor
Central Main St. North Side

We Paper and Paint Everything

We get a chance at.

We have a full line of

House Paints, Lead

and Oil Colors, Floor

Stains and Varnishes,

Floor Paints and

Plenty of Wall Paper.

Crescent Drug Store

DR. F. Z. HOLLEY, Prop.

LEADING PROFESSIONAL MEN

R. T. CASTLEBERRY
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
Conn-Little Bldg. Phone No. 801

DRS. CRAIG & RUNYAN,
Office Rollow Bldg. Phone 195

Dr. Craig, Res. Phone 251.
Dr. Runyan, Res. Phone .33

LIGON & KING,
Physicians and Surgeons.

Office in First National Bank Bldg.

GRANGER & GRANGER
DENTISTS.
Phone No. 212.
Residence Phone No. 259.

Rooms 1 and 2, First Nat'l Building

HOME ABSTRACT AND REAL ESTATE COMPANY.

General Abstract, Loan and Real Estate business. Fire and Tornado Insurance. Southern Surety Company of Oklahoma. Office in rear of First National bank.

C. A. Galbraith Tom D. McKeown

GALBRAITH & McKEOWN
LAWYERS.

Over Citizens National Bank, Ada, Ok

DRS. FAUST & HARTMAN
General Practice and Surgery

Phone 80 and 81
Conn Building over Surprise Store

Church Directory

"EVERY BOY AND GIRL IN SUNDAY SCHOOL AND EVERYBODY AT CHURCH."

Asbury Methodist Church.

Preaching every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and evening at 7:45 except the second Sunday. No service at all that day.

Sunday school at 9:45, T. W. Robison, superintendent.

Junior League at 3 p. m. with John Beard, superintendent.

Woman's Home Mission 1s and 3rd Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

C. C. BARNHARDT, Pastor.

First Presbyterian Church.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J. T. Higgins, superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

J. O. NEEDHAM, Pastor.

Presbyterian Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 8:00, J. D. White, pastor.

Sunday School at 9:45, Orville Sneed, superintendent. Junior Endeavor society meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday afternoon at 2:30.

First Baptist Church.

Sunday school 9:45, W. C. Duncan, superintendent. Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. J. R. Union, 4 p. m. S. R. Union 7 p. m. Ladies Aid and Mission Society Monday, 4 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p. m. C. STUBBLEFIELD, Pastor.

Christian Church

Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 8:00. Rev. C. M. Smoot, pastor.

Sunday School at 10 a. m., L. T. Walters, superintendent

Ladies Aid meets first and third Wednesdays and C. W. B. M. first Thursday in each month. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00.

The Christian Endeavor Society meets at 3 p. m.

First Methodist Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 8:00. Rev. W. M. Wilson, pastor.

Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock, T. F. Pierce, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00. Intermediate and Jr. Leagues meet Sunday afternoon. Home Mission Society meets every Monday afternoon at 3 p. m., ex-noon at 3 o'clock. Bible study Friday night at 7:30.

North Ada Baptist Church.

Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45, A. N. Harrison, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Ladies Aid Society meets every Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

LODGE DIRECTORY.

W. O. W.

Ada Camp, No. 568, Woodmen of the World, meets every 1st and 3rd Monday nights at I. O. O. F. hall. Visiting Woodmen are always welcome.

Ada Aerie, No. 1740.

Meets every Wednesday evening in hall on South Townsend.

I. O. O. F.

Ada lodge No. 82, I. O. O. F. meets every Thursday evening. A. T. Deaton, N. G.; C. M. Chauncey, secretary.

Ada Rebekah Lodge No. 146.

Meets first and third Tuesday nights of each month. Noble Grand, Mrs. C. M. Chauncey; Secretary, Mrs. Olive Baker.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE, FRISCO.

Effective 12:01 A. M. Oct. 3, 1909

NORTH BOUND

No. 508 Eastern Express... 10:59 a. m.

No. 514 Meteor... 5:56 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND

No. 509 Meteor... 9:22 a. m.

No. 507 Sherman Express... 4:54 p. m.

M. K. & T. Southbound.

No. 111 due 11:10 a. m.

Northbound.

No. 112 due 4:57 p. m.

OKLAHOMA CENTRAL, Westbound.

No. 3 due 10:25 a. m.

Local due 11:30 a. m.

Eastbound.

No. 2 due 3:40 p. m.

Local due 12:45 p. m.

Hot and Cold Stuff

Manufacturers of Ice

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Coal

Long Distance Phone 29

Ada Ice and Fuel Co.

We sell the best Fancy Lump Coal, and to insure clean coal to our customers, we load our wagons with forks.

We have our own wagons which insure prompt service.

OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT. CALL US UP.

The Bert Hahn Construction Co.

THE MOST RELIABLE CONTRACTORS IN THE CITY OF ADA. GUARANTEES YOU A SAVING OF 20 PER CENT ON YOUR SIDEWALKS.

See Us at Dorland Hotel

Special Attention

To the housewife that is looking for a delicious, ready-prepared food product, we ask you to try a 15c can of Lake-side Pork and Peas.

Fresh English Peas, deliciously flavored with pork and already cooked and ready for the table—one can enough for a meal for six people. For sale by all grocers.

Waples-Platter Grocer Co.

Ada, Oklahoma

Oklahoma Central Railway Co.

TIME TABLE NO. 12

EFFECTIVE AUG. 8th, 1909

Westbound

Daily Daily

No. 1 No. 3

Stations

am

8:30 LEHIGH

Booneville

8:55 Nixon

9:17 Tupelo

9:37 Stonewall

9:47 Frisco

10:02 Truax

10:25 Frisco Cross'g.

10:40 Center

10:55 Vanoss

11:13 Stratford

11:33 Byars

12:00 Rosedale

12:15 Vincennes

12:40 Purcell

7:50 1:05

8:00 1:17

8:10 1:27

8:40 1:57

8:58 2:16

9:15 2